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| <b>HICKORY SMOKED "water added"</b><br><b>SHANK PORTION HAM</b> LB. <b>78¢</b><br><small>SHANK PORTION ONLY 88¢ LB. WHOLE HAMS 88¢ LB.</small> |   | <b>TIDE</b> 49-OZ. BOX <b>88¢</b><br><small>SAVE 6¢</small>  |
| <b>FRESH FRYER QUARTERS BREAST or LEGS</b> LB. <b>69¢</b>  | <b>SELECT SLICED BEEF LIVER</b> LB. <b>99¢</b>  | <b>LAUNDRY DETERGENT</b> 49-OZ. BOX <b>88¢</b><br><small>SAVE 6¢</small>   |
| <b>TENDER-AGED U.S. CHOICE ROUND STEAK</b> LB. <b>\$1.47</b>   | <b>BUDDIG LUNCHEON MEATS 3-5.25 PKG. YOUR CHOICE ALL VARIETIES</b> 59¢ EA.  | <b>ALL PURPOSE DETERGENT</b> 49-OZ. BOX <b>48¢</b>   |
| <b>DEL MONTE CATSUP</b> 32-OZ. BTL. <b>59¢</b>   | <b>HYDROX COOKIES</b> 24-OZ. BTL. <b>99¢</b><br><b>DOG RATION FORMULA 409</b> 22-OZ. BTL. <b>93¢</b>  | <b>PEPSI COLA AND COKE</b> 32-OZ. BTL. <b>22¢</b><br><small>PLUS DEPOSIT</small>   |
| <b>EATWELL SARDINES</b> 2 1/2-OZ. CANS <b>\$1.00</b>   | <b>FRESH SLICED 1/2 LOIN PORK CHOPS</b> LB. <b>\$1.49</b>   | <b>PURE MUSTARD</b> 32-OZ. BTL. <b>59¢</b><br><b>GRAPE JELLY</b> 20-OZ. JAR <b>79¢</b><br><b>JIM DANDY GRITS</b> 8-OZ. CAN <b>\$1.19</b><br><b>MOP &amp; GLO</b> 16-OZ. BTL. <b>\$1.09</b> |
| <b>MARTHA WHITE CORN MEAL</b> 5 LB. BAG <b>79¢</b>   | <b>HYDROX CANE SYRUP</b> 24-OZ. BTL. <b>99¢</b><br><b>HYDROX COOKIES</b> 24-OZ. BTL. <b>89¢</b><br><b>DOG RATION FORMULA 409</b> 22-OZ. BTL. <b>93¢</b>                           | <b>APPLESAUCE</b> 3 1/2-OZ. CANS <b>\$1.00</b>   |
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| <b>NECTARINES</b> LB. <b>49¢</b><br><b>POLE BEANS</b> LB. <b>49¢</b>   | <b>BAR SOAP</b> 4 Bath Bars <b>\$1.00</b><br><b>LIQUID DETERGENT</b> 22-OZ. BTL. <b>99¢</b><br><b>PRUNE JUICE</b> 22-OZ. BTL. <b>83¢</b><br><b>PEACHES</b> 22-OZ. BTL. <b>55¢</b> | <b>KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES</b> 18-OZ. BOX <b>38¢</b><br><b>KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES</b> 24-OZ. BOX <b>58¢</b><br><small>SAVE 35¢</small>  |
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| <b>YELLOW SQUASH</b> LB. <b>39¢</b>  | <b>VEGETABLES</b> 2 PKGS. <b>79¢</b>  | <b>PIZZAS</b> 13-OZ. PKG. <b>78¢</b>   |

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## Special Council Meeting Held On Police Chief Matter

The Elba City Council held a special meeting Monday night, August 7, to discuss the matter of the police chief. The meeting was called by Mayor Robert Folsom after he received a written request from Councilman Jimmy Wise and John W. Sharpless to meet and consider the reinstatement of Police Chief M. W. Johnston.

The city fathers moved the meeting from the council chambers to the courtroom of the Coffee County Courthouse as soon as it became evident a large number of people wished to attend the meeting. All members were present except Councilman Mike Russell, who was absent due to the death of his father-in-law. Mayor Folsom opened the meeting and recognized Jake Bonneau, who had asked to speak first because of other commitments.

He opened by stating that either the mayor or the chief had to go and it was a lot easier to fire the police chief than the mayor. Ben Carpenter asked, "What is the purpose of this meeting?" After several times of repeating his question, Carpenter was told by Councilman Jimmy Wise that next week

(August 15) he and his family would be out of town on an early scheduled vacation and felt he should be here when the matter was discussed. Wise said he had hoped the matter could be decided while he was available to vote, but it appeared impossible at this time. He explained that the only action the council could officially take at this meeting would be to reinstate Johnston and unless he and the mayor worked out their differences, it would be useless. Sonny Inman addressed the council and asked that the mayor and council work out their differences and move forward on needed improvements in Elba. As he ended his three minute talk, the onlookers broke into applause as they did on several occasions when harmony was urged, letting the police chief run the department and once after someone shouted something about "we don't have a mayor."

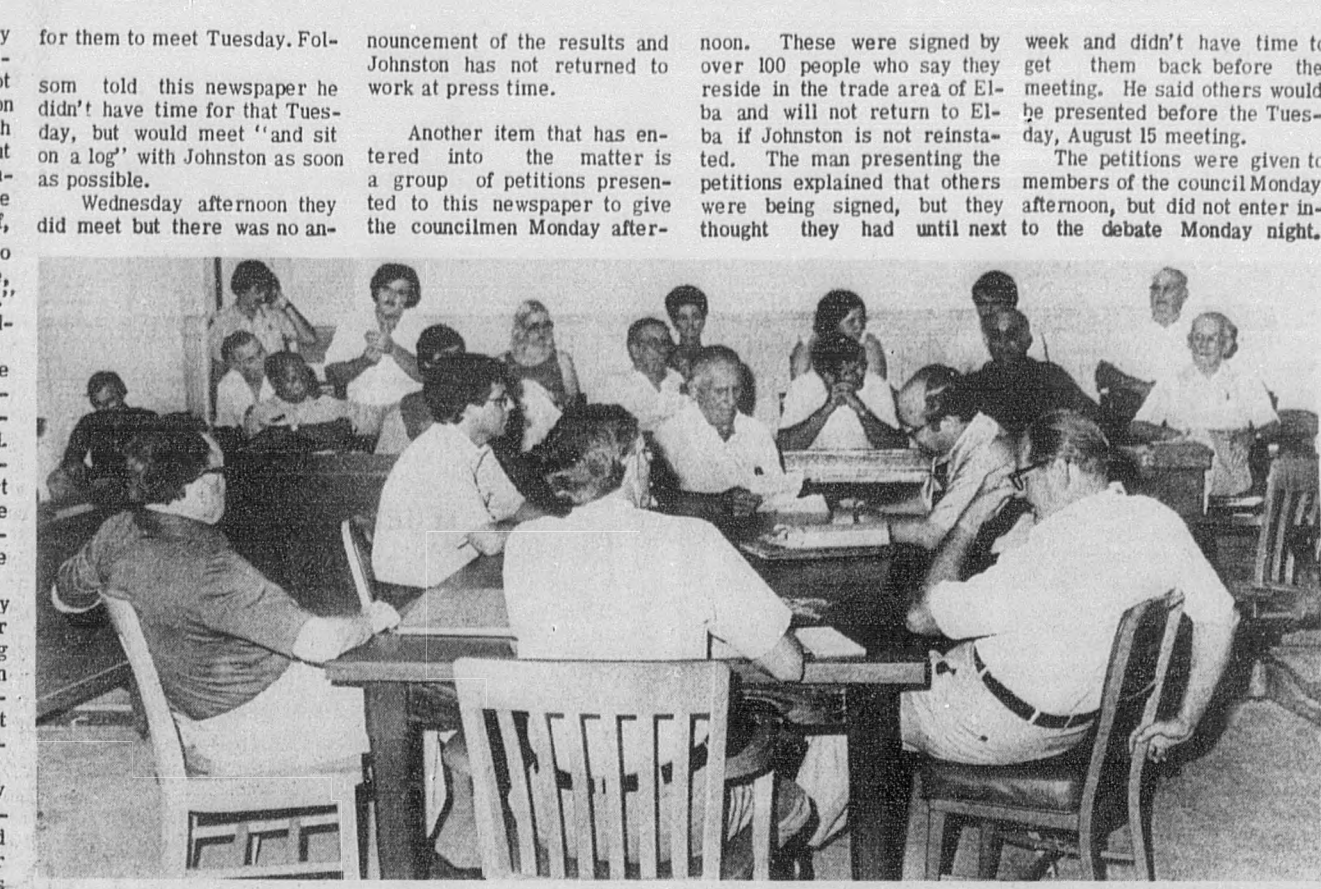
Twice Mayor Folsom took the ELBA CLIPPER to task when he said he had noted this newspaper had accused him of everything except adultery, and he expected that next. He did openly deny being guilty of adultery upon immediately being asked by a representative of the newspaper. Folsom said he understood that it was good for business to oppose him; "It sells papers, and that makes more money and allows you, Ferrin Cox, to eat higher on the hog. Later he told an irate citizen he should attend the council meetings and not depend on THE CLIPPER for his information, noting that gossip is sinful according to the Bible. He then explained the sin of gossip to the crowd. He was assisted in this by one of the visitors, Earl McCollough.

Once again in the confusion of the shouting match that dominated most of the meeting, a citizen challenged Folsom and said, "We read the LEDGER, THE CLIPPER and listen to the radio, and they say the same, but, Bob, you are still right."

A letter was read from most of the members of the police department urging that Johnston not be reinstated because of the friction and a decline in the morale due to continuous problems between Folsom and Johnston. Policeman Simon Benson was asked by

Mayor Folsom to explain why the officers had signed the letter. Benson noted it was not a reflection against Johnston because they could work with the chief or the mayor, but they couldn't work with conflicting instructions. "If the chief is going to be the chief, then he is going to have to run the department. Of course, he must answer to the mayor." Applause by the spectators ended his talk.

Several times persons close to the situation stated the problem was two-sided, with Johnston also being strongwilled. Alvin DeVane, Harold Berry, Phillip Scarborough, Robert King and George Houtt were among the group that questioned Folsom extensively about the matter.



Group Leaves For Six Flags

Six Flags Over Georgia was the destination of this group from the Elba United Methodist Church. They boarded the bus Tuesday afternoon and plan to return from Atlanta Thursday afternoon.

## Little Miss Elba To Be Named Saturday

The annual Little Miss Elba contest will be held on Saturday night, August 12, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The event is sponsored by the Elba Lions Club. The following are the contestants for the event: Tina Faye Carter, Melissa Ann Johnson, Martha Denise Rice, Stephanie Michele Kellner, Brenda Leigh Parks, Sharon Farris, JDonna Hutto, Wendy Hardy, Vickie Lynne Berry, Lorie Ann Padge, Sharon Renee Tidwell, Kathryn Williams, Mahalia Dawn Nolin, Krystal Michelle Owens, Deana Kyle, Rhonda Faye Crawley, Erika Leigh Simmons, Tara Michelle Rhoades, Wendy Moulton, Amy Fuller, Whitney Wise, Lucinda Faye Byrd, Davina Mount.



Preschoolers Meet At HRDC

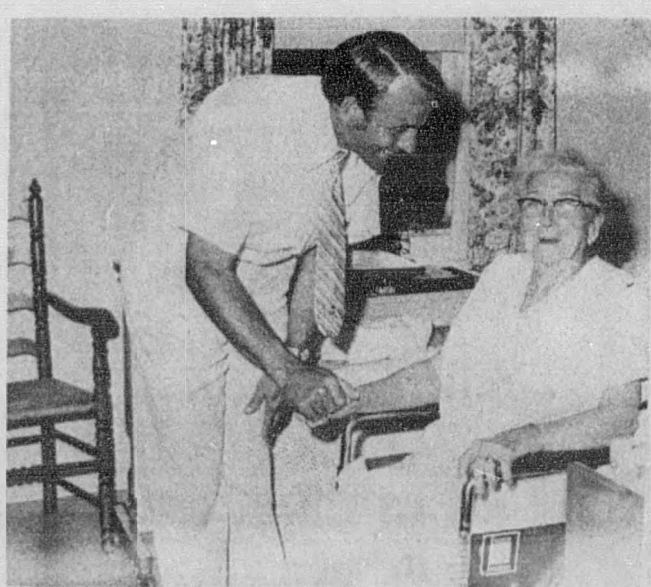
The accompanying photograph shows a group of preschoolers who meet each Tuesday afternoon from 2:00 - 3:30 at the Human Resource Center on Putnam Street. Mrs. Addie Lou Taylor, Center Director, says when possible, she has volunteer teachers.



Attorney General Bill Baxley greets local supporters.



Former Governor Albert Brewer poses with loyal members of the Nichols family.



Albert Brewer visited the Elba Nursing Home and is shown asking a smiling Mrs. W. P. Windham for her vote and support.











## Wilson, Studle Vows Spoken



Mr. &amp; Mrs. Milton Studle

Miss Debbie Carolyn Wilson became the bride of Charles Milton Studle in a 4:30 p.m. ceremony, Saturday, July 15. Rev. William Hines officiated the double ring ceremony at the Philadelphia Presbyterian Church in Forest Park, Ga.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilson of Brantley, Ala., and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Studle of Forest Park, Ga.

Mr. Tommy Bryan, organist, and Mr. Rick Copeland,

vocalist, presented a program of musical music.

The center of the altar featured a prayer bench and a candle arch with an arrangement of white gladioli, majestic daisies and pompons. On each side stood brass candle trees surrounded with ferns.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white floor-length organza gown with brush train and trimmed with chivalry lace and ventile lace. She wore a full length veil edged with chivalry lace. The bride carried a bouquet of yellow roses, blue daisies and baby's breath centered on a blue ribbon.

The attendants were four bridesmaids in yellow or white dresses of yellow or white fabric. The bridesmaids featured an off the shoulder neckline with a ruffle and a deep ruffle around the hem. They carried bouquets of yellow roses, blue and white daisies and baby's breath.

Flower girls were Cindy and Tracy Bryan of Brantley and Brandy Wilson of Brantley, Indiana. They wore floor length dresses of yellow floral eyelet and carried baskets of flowers.

The bride's bridesmaids, all of Forest Park, Ga., were: Mrs. Agnew of Jonesboro, Ga., served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Linda Layton of Brantley, Mrs. Rosie Wingard of Laverne, Miss Cindy Studle, Miss Cathy Studle and Miss Susan Studle, junior bridesmaids, all of Forest Park, Ga.

Marville, Tenn., Wes Agnew of Morrow, Ga., and junior groomsmen Jimmy Wright of Greenwood, Indiana. They wore ice blue tuxedos.

The ringbearers were Brian Wilson of Brownsburg, Indiana, and Clint Hayes of Lebanon, Indiana. They wore matching tuxedos.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Wilson wore a full length gown of blue chiffon with full, sheer sleeves. The groom's mother, Mrs. Studle, wore a full length gown of sea green chiffon with a flowing cape. Both mothers wore white orchid corsages.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall following the ceremony. A round table draped with lace held the bride's book and a vase of yellow roses and baby's breath. Miss Jane Sasser of Birmingham registered the guests.

The four-tiered wedding cake decorated with roses, daisies and orchids was held on a round table draped with lace cloth. Mrs. Jennifer Dawkins of Brantley, and Mrs. Linda Reeder of Auburn, Ala., presided at the table.

The groom's table held the cake of dark chocolate topped with frosted mixed nuts. After the meal Mrs. Nelson Jackson of Birmingham, served the punch.

After a wedding trip to the Pocomo Mountains in Pennsylvania, the couple will reside in Forest Park, Ga.



Births

The home of Miss Mary Ellen Lamar of the Gold Hill section of Auburn was the setting of a baby shower on Tuesday, August 1, 1978, honoring Miss Hought, bride-elect of Mr. and Mrs. George Hought, parents of the bride-elect, and Mr. and Mrs. Floumy Whitman, grandparents of the bride elect.

The guests were greeted at the door by Miss Lamar and her co-hostess, Miss Bonnie Slatkner.

The living room was beautifully decorated with mixtures of fall flowers, magnolia blossoms, and greenery from the woods. The silver punch bowl was accented with a floral arrangement of daisies and



## Out-Of-Town Parties Honor Miss Hocutt

Miss Deborah Hocutt, whose marriage to Mr. Stephen Stabler of Greenville will take place August 26, 1978, is being honored with pre-nuptial parties.

The members of the Church of Christ in Greenville entertained Miss Hocutt and Mr. Stabler on Saturday, July 29, 1978, at 7:00 o'clock in the evening with a miscellaneous shower.

The tables and room decorations displayed arrangements of cut flowers carrying out the theme of fall. A delicious buffet dinner was served to the seventy guests.

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Those from Elba who enjoyed this lovely affair were Mr. and Mrs. George Hocutt, parents of the bride-elect, and Mr. and Mrs. Floumy Whitman, grandparents of the bride elect.

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marigolds.

The Baskin-Robins cake, party delicacies, and punch was served to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. George Hocutt, grandmother, Mrs. Floumy Whitman, of Elba, sister, Mrs. Samuel McNair, of Sumter, South Carolina, Mrs. R. B. Stabler, of Greenville, mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. Doug Stabler, of Montgomery, sister-in-law of the groom-to-be, and the other guests who were from Auburn.

Gifts were opened and viewed after the hostesses presented Miss Hocutt with a beautiful lingerie set.

The annual reunion of the descendants of John Bryan and Edith (Johnson) Johnson will be held Sunday, August 13 at the Henderson Community Center in Pike County.

"Our Johnson Family," a record of this family, will be available. Coffee County cousins come and bring a basket lunch.

The Bowdoin-Bowden family reunion will be held Saturday, August 12, at 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. in the Community Room at the New Brockton Farm Center on Highway 84 East.

A picnic lunch will be served at noon. All family members are invited to attend.

The family of I.E. Taylor will have their annual Reunion Sunday, August 13th. It will be at the "Piermaine Club" in Opa off the Old Perry Store Road. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Mrs. Esther Richardson of Pace, Florida, was honored on her 82nd birthday on Sunday, August 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Ward of Elba. Mrs. Richardson has 12 children, 21 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 8 great-great-grandchildren.

Present at the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hager of Winter Haven, Florida; Mrs. Gardis Waters of Andalusia, Ala.; Mrs. Hazel Hopkins of Pace, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Richardson of Elba;

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## Commencement Exercises Planned For TSU August 11

State Superintendent of Education Dr. Wayne Teague will be the speaker for Troy State University's summer commencement August 11th.

Announcement of the commencement date and of the speaker was made by University President Dr. Ralph W. Adams.

More than 500 students are candidates for degrees at the 10:00 a.m. ceremonies in Smith Hall. Among the candidates from this area are: Ruby Mae Adair, Jack; Daphne Turner Bowden, Elba; Louann

Wyatt Bryan, Elba; Sandra Lee Clark, Elba; Phyllis Marie Clements, Elba; Edward Lyle Gullion, Jr., Elba; Vivian Terry Haynes, New Brockton; Ronald Gerald Tucker, Elba; George Elton Williams, Elba; Timothy Cecil Archie, Kinston; George Richard Brown, Elba; Nancy Wright Crowe, Elba; Mance Hoyt Daughtry, Enterprise; Margaret Blair Halloway, Elba; Mary Jo Nelson, Elba; Joanne Thomas Rainer, Elba; and Syble King Stivers, Elba.

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## Pastor's Corner

ED HENNE ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

It seems to me that prayer is a natural impulse of every rational person on earth. Those who do not believe in the God of the Jews and Christians pray to some other god. Even those who staunchly say they are atheists-they believe in no god-are known to cry out, "O God!" when in desperation.

But we do not always understand prayer as we should. Prayer is not a posture. We can pray sitting, standing, or lying on a bed as well as kneeling. Neither is prayer a one-way conversation. Every prayerer should contain some quiet moment when we allow the Spirit of God to speak to our heart and mind.

How should we pray if our prayers are to be effective? For one thing, we should pray sincerely. We can often "pull the wool" over the eyes of those around us. And we can sometimes even fool ourselves. But we cannot ever fool God. He knows our thoughts and motives as well as our actions. We cannot pretend.

Dr. Vernon Methodist Church will be having Homecoming on Sunday, August 13. Everyone is invited to attend.

Taylor Hill Baptist To Observe Old Fashion Day

Old Fashioned Day will be observed on Sunday, August 13 at Taylor Hill Baptist Church on Highway 84.

All-day preaching and dinner on the ground will be highlights of the day.

Henry Lashley is pastor of the church.

## St. John Baptist Youth To Present Service To Have Revival In Song At First Baptist

Gospel preaching and evangelist singing is the theme of our revival which will begin Homecoming Day at St. John Baptist Church (Trentum) Sunday, August 13, 1978.

Brother Ed Massey of Birmingham is the evangelist. Lynn Killingsworth of New York community will lead the music.

Services will be Monday thru Friday at 7:30 p.m. each evening. A hearty welcome awaits you.

Revival At First Methodist Church

There will be a revival at The First Methodist Church of Enterprise from August 15-18. Times of services will be: 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, the 15th, and at 6:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. during the week.

A nursery will be provided each night. Morning services will be taped and broadcast Monday - Friday at 9:35 A.M. over WIRB-AM.

Everyone is invited.

ZION CHAPEL SENIOR CIRCLE MEETS

The St. Circle of Zion Chapel Baptist Church met at the Elba Nursing Home Wednesday, July 26.

Those present were Pastor Charles Sunday and Mrs. Sunday, and members Gladys Carr, Wayne Brown, Millar Colwell, Maude Price and Myrtle McCollough.

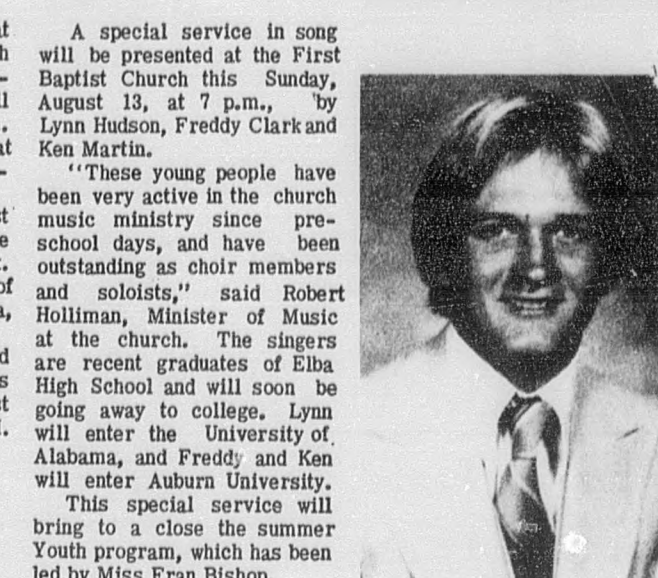
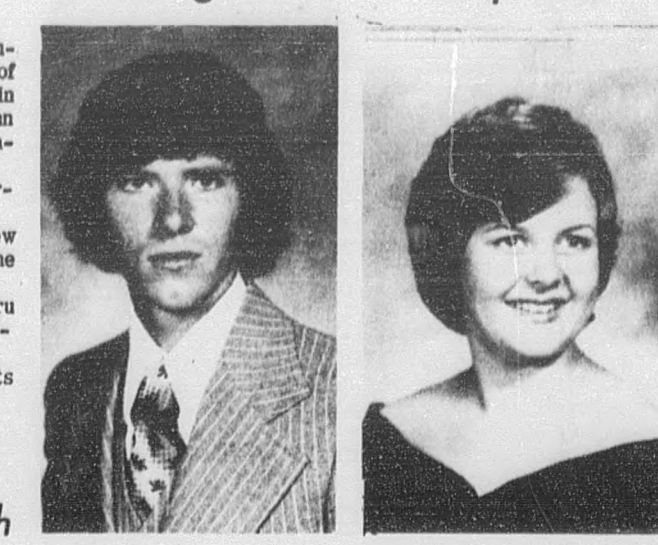
The group went to the Big R Restaurant for lunch. They reported a good time together.

Revival At Mt. Gilead

Mt. Gilead Baptist Church will have a revival August 12-18. Services on Sunday, the 13th will be at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., and at 7:30 p.m. through the week.

Guest speaker will be Robert Gass, and Bobbie Hattery will be in charge of the music.

Everyone is welcome.



ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP SETS SERVICES

The Abundant Life Fellowship is beginning services at the Morning View Baptist Church in Samson.

Times will be at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday afternoons, and 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday nights.

Terry Yates will be the minister at these services. All denominations are welcome.

## "IN HIM WAS LIFE, AND THE LIFE WAS LIGHT OF MEN."

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WHITWATER BAPTIST CHURCH - Mike Murphree Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Church Training... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet... 7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH James T. Brock Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Night Mts. ... 6:00 p.m. Church Training... 6:00 p.m. Church Practice... 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Prac. ... 8:00 p.m. Nursery Open for Church Activities

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD Charles Jolley Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening - Young People's Endeavor... 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Joseph B. Hall Bible Study... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Tuesday-Ladies Bible Class... 2:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

WEE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - D.D. Bryant Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Church Training... 6:00 p.m. Youth Choir Prac. ... 4:00 p.m. Youth Peoples Serv. ... 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meet. Wed. ... 7:00 p.m. Home Prayer Serv. - Friday ... 7:00 p.m. Pastor's Phone Call - Monday thru Fri. 9:25 a.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Edward D. Henne Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Church Training... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Eve. Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wed. Choir Prac. ... 8:00 p.m. Church Visi. Thurs. ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - Jimmy and Shirley Hatcher Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Serv. ... 7:00 p.m. Thurs. Serv. ... 7:00 p.m. WELB Radio Daily, 12:30 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Billy Gregory Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union ... 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. ... 7:00 p.m.

TAYLOR HILL BAPTIST Henry A. Lashley Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Service... 6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m. Wed. Night Prayer... 7:00 p.m.

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## The Pressbox

By Rickie Mulaz, Sports Editor

I went back to Montgomery last week to the Met's State softball Tournament and saw Ken Sanders' Ford sweep through a strong field to repeat as state champion. The nation's top team defeated Drummond Coal 35-4, Keller's 34-2, Hudson Industries 35-1, B & S Const. 19-13 to win the title.

The top slugger for Ken Sanders in the journey was Charles Wright, who went 17-23 with 16 home-runs. Wright was angered by an umpire's call in the final game and responded by hitting 4 homers in 5 at-bats.

The Dothan Southern finished third in the state, while Bennett-Ellis of Eufaula placed fifth. Hudson Industries of Troy finished in a tie for ninth. The Dothan Independents also placed in the top 20, making this District well represented.

I watched Elba practice football on Monday and was pleasantly surprised. All the players appeared to be in good shape and their spirit was good. Coach Wood had the practice totally organized and not one minute was wasted wondering what to do next. Maybe my early prediction of another 6-4 season will have to be revised!

Last year I never really got too excited about football, and for some reason just wasn't interested. However, this year I'm ready for the season to start and it's still three weeks away.

Ye ole Polish Prognosticator has already pulled the crystal ball out of the closet and will again this year baffle his competitors by picking the winners.

## Elba To Field Two Little League Football Teams

Elba will again this year field two Little League football teams to compete in a local Youth League.

The teams are for boys in grades 4 and 5 and grades 6 and 7. Weight restrictions are (4th and 5th grade) 90-pounds for backs and 110-pounds for linemen, and (6th and 7th grade) 110-pounds for backs and 150-pounds for linemen.

Each boys age which will be based on his age on Oct. 1, and any boy turning 14 after Oct. 1 will be eligible to play. All players must present a birth certificate (or copy) to verify their age.

League Director Lamar Kelley announced that anyone who needs to buy equipment should be at the Rec Center at 9:30 on Saturday morning. A local sporting goods store will be open for equipment sale.

The schedule for the year is: Sept. 9 ... Golden Rams ... in Elba; Sept. 16 ... Blue Devils ... in Opp; Sept. 23 ... Red Barons ... in Elba; Sept. 30 ... New Brockton ... in New Brockton; Oct. 7 ... Brundidge ... in Brundidge; Oct. 14 ... Golden Rams ... in Opp; Oct. 21 ... Blue Devils ... in Elba; Oct. 28 ... Red Barons ... in Opp; Nov. 4 ... New Brockton ... in Elba; and Nov. 11 ... Brundidge ... in Elba.

All softball fans are invited to come and watch!

Woodland Grove will sponsor a 16-team slow-pitch softball tournament all next week at the church's ballfield. Four teams will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights, with starting times set for 6:30, 7:30, 8:30 and 9:30. Two games are scheduled for Wednesday night (8:30 and 9:30) and the tourney will last all day Saturday.

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## Hardy's Const. Wins City Tournament

Hardy's Construction made it a clean sweep of city softball tournaments last week when they swept through the City Tournament undefeated. Hardy's had already won the City Championship by posting a 20-2 record during regular season play.

Final league standings were Hardy's (20-2), People's Bank (18-4), Wise's (17-5), Cook Chevrolet (16-6), Brundidge Vols (13-3), Hospital (12-10), Keller's (10-12), New Brockton Merchants (8-14), Grime's Oil (8-14), Nasco (7-15), Kelley's Packing (2-20), and Work Release (1-21).

The City Tournament began on Tuesday, July 25, with nine of the league's 12 teams entered.

Nasco 13-19-6 New Brockton 9-15-5 Earl Rachel went five for five with two home runs to pace Nasco to a 19-5 win over New Brockton. New Brockton jumped into a 6-0 lead in the opening inning, but Nasco rallied to tie the game at 6-6 in the seventh-inning and plated five more runs in the eighth to claim the win. Dimp Holley, Joey Holley and Ken Reeves all got three hits to aid the Nasco attack, while Rick Jackson, Joe Simmons and L. Bryant all had three hits for Brundidge.

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Hospital 21-21-4 Kelley's 6-10-8 The Hospital pounded out 21 hits to clobber Kelley's Packing 21-6. Kelley's led 3-0 after one-inning, but Hospital broke loose to claim the top-sided win. Jimmy Cooper had four hits to pace the Hospital, while Junior Tallock and Paul Grimes both had two hits to pace Kelley's.

Cook Chevrolet 14-13-3 People's Bank 5 - 6-5 Cook Chevrolet jumped out to an early 10-0 lead enroute a 14-5 win over The People's Bank. Ronnie Culver had two hits, including a three-run homer to lead Cook, while teammates Rick Christian, Glen Thompson, Larry Ware and Rickie Mulaz all added two hits.

Wayne Flowers got two hits for the Bank.

Hardy's 10-9-2 Nasco 6-9-5 Hardy's exploded for nine runs in the second inning and held on to defeat Nasco 10-6. Larry Suley and Mike Parrish had two hits each to lead Hardy's, while Jimmy King and Joey Holley both had two hits for Nasco.

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People's Bank 7 (forfeit) Nasco 0 Brundidge 18-21-5 New Brockton 8-8-2 Brundidge continued its torrid hitting and rolled to a 16-8 win over Brockton. The 21 hits gave Brundidge a total of 52 hits in a two-game span!

Mauldin had 4 hits to lead Brundidge, while L. Bryant had two hits to pace Brockton.

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## Meet The Candidates For Lt. Governor

The race for Lieutenant Governor of Alabama has attracted a total of 14 candidates, including 12 Democrats and 2 Republicans. In an effort to make our readers better acquainted with the candidates, we are publishing qualifying statements made by nine of the Democratic hopefuls.

We have received no correspondence from five candidates and therefore cannot introduce them to you at this time.

They are (Democrats) Ray Kenderdine of Birmingham, James D. Champion of Mobile, Coleman Brown of Opelika and (Republicans) Virginia Waiser of Marion and Elva McCarry of Anniston.

THE ELBA CLIPPER urges its readers to read each statement carefully and hopes the articles will help clarify the views of the many candidates.

### Bert Bank

State Senator Bert Bank of Northport has announced that he is a candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Alabama. "I feel that the people are in a mood to elect to high office a person with integrity, honesty and concern for the needs of the people of the state," Bank said.

Banked by city and county officials and supporters from throughout the state at a recent rally, Bank said in order to eliminate much of the political infighting in State Government, he will not be running for any higher office while serving as Lt. Governor as many of his opponents would be doing if elected.

"I want to be Lt. Governor and Lt. Governor only," Bank emphasized. "I will be able to work with whoever is elected Governor which will permit me to lead the Senate effectively and efficiently."

In response to questions about how he will conduct the office of Lt. Governor, Bank said, "I intend to run the office as set forth in the Alabama Constitution. I will preside while the Sen. is in session and return to my home when the Senate adjourns. I will, of course, be available to talk to the citizens of the state at any time whether in Montgomery or at home."

Bank said that he thought the Lt. Governor should



know whether their senators are attending the senate meetings and doing the job they were elected to do. Bank has been actively campaigning for the office of Lt. Governor for over a year and has been leading most of the statewide preference polls for the Lt. Governor's race.

### Bill Roberts

Before being elected to the Senate in 1974, Roberts served one term doing the House of Representatives. While serving in the House he was presented with the Governor's Conservation Award in 1972 for his work on the Alabama Air Pollution Control Act of 1971.

Roberts, a State Senator from Mobile, signed his qualification papers before a gathering of 50 of his Jefferson County campaign volunteers.

Roberts told the group of workers, "For the first time in a long time Alabama has a chance to be at the center of southern economic progress. Interest in Alabama by outside business and industry is growing daily. Now what we need is the kind of people in leadership who can turn that interest and opportunity into jobs and progress."

Roberts in completing his first term in the Senate where he is chairman of the Senate Local Government Committee. He also serves as a member of the Constitution and Elections, Education and Schools and Inland Waterways Committees.

"Secondly, to insure investor confidence we need to establish more confidence in our political system. I have fought hard for legislation for mandatory meetings of public bodies and home rule, rather than legislative rule. These types of reforms will increase the confidence of our own people, as well as outside investors, in our government's ability to treat them honestly, openly and fairly."

"The next few years can be our best years. I believe I am experienced enough to do the job, old enough to understand the mistakes of the past, and young enough to pursue our opportunities with energy and dedication."

A 1965 graduate of Auburn University, Roberts is currently vice-president of the Auburn Nursing and Convalescent Center in Mobile. The health care facility, one of Alabama's oldest and most respected was founded by Roberts' grandmother in 1939.

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### Jamie Etheridge

Mayor Jamie "Red" Etheridge of Greenville has announced his candidacy for Lt. Governor of Alabama. He is currently in the office of Lt. Governor in the September 5 Democratic primary.

"Red" Etheridge, who is a businessman, civic leader and community builder, has extensive experience in government having served as president of the Alabama League of Municipalities, and was the chairman of its Legislative Committee.

As a municipal official, Greenville's chief executive is well acquainted with the problems of government from the state as well as municipal level and knows first-hand the workings of the legislative process.

He has stated that he "will spend all the time that it is needed to efficiently fulfill the duties of the Lt. Governor. Greenville is less than an hour from the Capital, and I can be there on a few minutes' notice to transact business when the legislature is not in session."

As a community worker and civic leader, "Red" is a Lion, Mason and Baptist who is interested in the community in which he has lived for 17 years. He has been a member of the city council for two years, filled a two-year unexpired term as Mayor and been elected for two full four year terms of office.

"If you want to know more about 'Red' Etheridge and what

he stands for, ask your Mayor or city councilmen. They know me from my work with them. They know what kind of a person I am," Etheridge said.

Etheridge said his campaign theme will be, "If you see red about the way things are going in the legislature, then see 'Red' as your candidate for Lt. Governor in November to change them."

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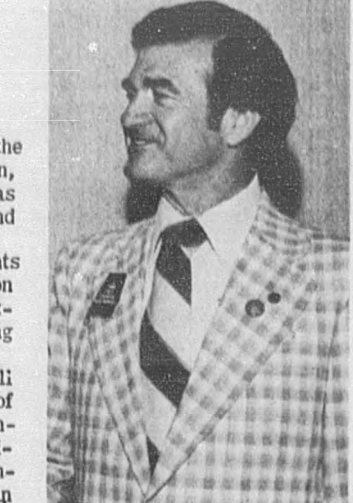
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### Bob Harris

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Harris said that recently Hubbard demanded that every candidate for Lt. Governor give his pledge of allegiance to the AEA. Harris commented that there will be no re-allocation of state revenues regarding the AEA.

"And sadly," Harris said, "Paul Hubbard already holds the signed 'pledge of allegiance' from every other 'candidate.' While he recognized that public education is the most important function of state government, Harris said that he thinks the taxpayers are entitled to have the Legislature judge where there is great need for provision has been made for public education. And more taxes should not be raised for one government function while there are millions of tax dollars lying around idle waiting for Paul Hubbard to decide how they should be spent.

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### Marilyn Quarles

Representative Marilyn Quarles, the only woman elected to the legislature in 1974, is candidate for Lieutenant Governor of the state of Alabama in the Democratic primary, September 5.

The only woman in a field of twelve candidates in the Democratic primary, Marilyn Quarles, a resident of Springville, Alabama, stated, "After serving in the legislature, I see the need more than ever to have responsible leadership in our state."

Quarles further stated, "Somewhere, somehow, we are going to have more fiscal responsibility and accountability in our government. All my energy and commitment to honesty and fairness will be used as a moderator, an organizer - an impetus, to get the legislative process working - unbiased and efficiently."

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### Bill G. King

Senator Bill G. King of Huntsville has officially announced his candidacy for Lt. Governor. A two-term legislator, King has served both in the House and Senate. King focused his announcement comments on Alabama's current "Government by Crisis," the theme he has consistently sounded in his trips around the state.

According to King, "We have endured the highest state government for too long. As we look ahead at a decade of growth in the broad South Belt region, we must have people in Alabama state government who have the management skills and long-range planning ability to bring about responsible and responsive government." King pointed out that he is a businessman and serves as President of the management consulting firm which he established in Huntsville several years ago. King said, "I believe my background in business as a consultant with a wide range of governmental agencies and bodies, and my service in the legislature qualifies me uniquely to bring strong management principles into the operation of state government. I want to be Alabama in charge of its own government; not continually directed by one federal court order after another."

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### George McMillan

George McMillan has announced his candidacy for Lt. Governor of Alabama. McMillan was endorsed by Sheriff Mel Bailey of Jefferson County, L. O. Bishop of Colbert County, Councilwoman Beattie Estelle of Birmingham, and Forrest Latta of Dothan. The nomination crowd was told constitutional office would restore confidence in the legislative process.

McMillan, who has served as a member of the State House and Senate, told the enthusiastic gathering that he has a great deal of faith that the Legislature, explained McMillan.

McMillan's wife, the former Ann Dail of Birmingham, also spoke in her husband's behalf. Mrs. McMillan said that she and her







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 Matley, Foy  
 Matley, Mrs. Foy  
 Morys, Vencie  
 Newsome, Nell  
 Parker, Fernie E.  
 Parker, Hollis  
 Parker, Miriam W.  
 Pickett, Inez K.  
 Parrish, Elton C.  
 Parrish, Steven Oscar  
 Patterson, W. C.  
 Patrick, Clarence Hubert  
 Pearson, William Randall  
 Phelps, J. D.  
 Pike, Delora Denise  
 Pike, Elsie D.  
 Pirkle, Eloise Triggers  
 Pirkle, Linney Ellis  
 Pittman, Bobbie E.  
 Preachers, Wendale Gayle  
 Purvis, Mildon H.  
 Purvis, Wava Patricia  
 Reynolds, Bell (R.V.)  
 Reynolds, Ester Lee  
 Reynolds, R. V.  
 Reynolds, Katie B.  
 Reynolds, Kaye B.  
 Rhoades, Sims Odell  
 Rhoades, Mar C.  
 Rhodes, Harry J.  
 Rials, Martin Leon  
 Ringer, Don Reno  
 Ringer, Lucetta Jean  
 Roberts, Hardy  
 Roberts, Julia  
 Robinson, J. L.  
 Robinson, Rustie  
 Rogers, Catherine Smith  
 Rogers, G. Vincent  
 Rogers, George Otis  
 Rogers, Janice  
 Rogers, Jerry Glenn  
 Rogers, Joe Tom  
 Rogers, Ruth Wally  
 Rogers, William E.  
 Salter, Alma  
 Salter, Bennie C.  
 Salter, Geraldine  
 Salter, Jerry Ray  
 Salter, Marvinie R.  
 Sasser, Earl  
 Scannapie, Esther  
 Scannapie, Patrick M.  
 Sellers, Ralph  
 Senn, Garnet  
 Senn, Joe Nichols  
 Senn, Minnie Earl  
 Simmons, Larry Jr.  
 Skinner, Truett  
 Small, Jimmie Grant  
 Small, Deborah Ann  
 Smith, Grady Jr.  
 Smith, Hayes E.  
 Smith, Mrs. James T.  
 Smith, Lela Ann  
 Smith, Myrtle  
 Spigner, Annette  
 Spigner, Warren  
 Spicer, Cheryl Ann  
 Stewart, Robert Lee, Jr.  
 Stinson, Fred  
 Stinson, Merle Hughes

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Robert, E.  
ry, Steven Austin  
ry, William A.  
rick, Doris E.  
rick, James C.  
ht, Bernice  
ht, Bronson P.  
ht, James Dewey  
bert, James Leroy  
bert, Michelle L.  
Bernice Bradley  
Bobby E.  
B. Fay  
B. Betty R.  
B. Elkin E.  
B. Lloyd M.  
B. L. Jeanne K.  
ry, Mack  
ry, Walter Clifford  
B. L. Jeanne K.  
ry, Hugué G.  
h, Dalbert  
h, Karen Joy  
h, M. Dale  
h, Rettle Lou  
in, Betty Morgan  
in, Elizabeth J.  
in, Thelma  
in, W.A.  
in, William R.  
h, Robert R.  
ews, John R.  
ews, Lonza  
ews, Lonza  
h, E. Samuel  
ews, William Ray  
h, Clarice M.  
h, L. L.  
h, Nadine  
ough, Cathy Jo  
ough, Mark J.  
ough, Mark J.  
ough, Mark J.  
ough, Mark J.  
ough, Elsie Dell  
ough, Henry C.  
ough, Elsie Dell  
ough, W.E.  
h, L. Jewel  
ough, Enla Mae  
ough, Harold D.  
ough, Fred D.  
ough, Harry Brooks  
ough, J.R.  
ough, Louise E.  
ough, Elzotte  
ough, Joseph J.  
ough, L.  
aters, Hubert L.  
ters, Ruby W.  
ters, Shirley Ann  
Gwendolyn S.  
William Horace  
Denny H.  
L. C.  
Lincoln J.  
Mary C.  
Shelle M.  
Dorothy M.  
Perry C.  
Q.P.  
Donald Wayne  
Warren W.  
S. Ann  
Strickland, Gloria Faye  
Strickland, Kay Watson  
Strickland, Mark  
Stringer, Bernice Maxine  
Stringer, Robert  
Stuckey, Eunice K.  
Thames, James D.  
Thames, Audrey Faye  
Thames, Mrs. J.O.  
Thames, Jerry Wayne  
Thames, Johnny F.  
Thames, Lucille Myers  
Thames, Flora L.  
Thomas, Lizzy  
Thomas, Nell  
Thompson, Evelyn  
Thompson, Marcus  
Thompson, Gail Faney  
Tucker, Terry Lee  
Waddell, Diane P.  
Waddell, Frances S.  
Waddell, William Curtis  
Walden, M.L.L.  
Walden, M.L.L.  
Walden, Mrs. Macon L.  
Wallace, Becky Ann  
Wallace, Buddy  
Wallace, Carlton J.  
Wallace, Curt  
Wallace, Daisey Lee  
Wallace, Edward Levard  
Wallace, Ora Mae  
Wallace, Patricia Ann  
Wallace, Roy Douglas  
Walls, Alfred H.  
Walls, Fred  
Walls, Mrs. Fred  
Walls, Kenneth Alford  
Walls, Loin B.  
Walls, Martha Brackin  
Walls, Rose Elizabeth  
Walls, Wilbur  
Walker, A.  
Watkins, Alfred M.  
Watkins, Cupadine  
Watkins, Derris  
Watkins, Irvinny Harrell  
Watkins, Olive  
Watson, Hulan  
Watson, J. W.  
Watson, Jesse  
Watson, John B.  
Watson, John R.  
Watson, Louis Linton  
Watson, Louis Linton  
Watson, Mary Stokes  
Watson, Vivian  
Watson, William T.  
Watson, Woodson M.  
Weatherford, Christine  
Weeks, W.  
Westley, Bonnie Dee  
Westley, L.F.  
Wilkes, Edder  
Williams, Lella Pearl  
Williams, Billy Leon  
Williams, Bobbie Jean  
Williams, Doyle D.  
Williams, Mack D., Sr.  
Williams, Ronnie Steven  
Williams, Teresa Gail  
Wilson, Mary Katherine  
Wilson, Rex Bruce

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Wilson, Saroline D.







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## BEAT 17 BOX 6

|                        |                 |              |                  |                   |                       |                      |                     |                    |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Brumby, Jack Robert D. | Brown, Renee L. | Byrd, Ray D. | Carson, Alice P. | Correy, Wanda Lou | Cox, Mildred Chambers | Davis, Betty Suzanne | Donaldson, Amox Rex | Dykes, Glenn Moses |
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Grayer, Ruby Jewell

Crayner, Ruby Jewell  
Crayner, Verna Joyces  
Grayer, Willy Frank  
Greathouse, Agnes P.  
Green, George  
Green, Alice Mae Bullard  
Green, Beatrice Linn  
Green, Buck  
Green, Edna Sawyer  
Green, Glenn G.  
Green, H. M.  
Green, Johnnie B.  
Green, Les Arla  
Green, Lavender  
Green, Margaret Ann  
Green, Mary Ruth  
Grimme, Mildred Byrd  
Grimm, Josephine C.  
Green, Mrs. Paul  
Green, Paul Nicholas  
Green, Reginald Lamar  
Green, Robert  
Green, Rochell  
Green, S. Paul  
Green, Thomas Robin  
Greene, David  
Greene, James Jerry  
Greene, Marquita  
Greenwood, Donnie  
Greenwood, Dennis Jr.  
Greenwood, Willie  
Greer, Charles Byron  
Greer, James Edward  
Greer, William  
Gregory, Billy  
Gregory, Wilma Ruth

**BEAT 17 BOX 8**

Grice, Janice  
Grice, Louie  
Grice, Mary Frances  
Griffin, W. Vance  
Griffin, T. D.  
Griffin, A. D.  
Griffin, J. E. William  
Griffin, Carlton Wayne  
Griffin, Carrie I.  
Griffin, William Wheeler  
Griffin, Claudia  
Griffin, Dewey  
Griffin, Ethel W.  
Griffin, Eula C.  
Griffin, Fred  
Griffin, Gary Edward  
Griffin, Gladys Marie  
Griffin, Jimmy Ray  
Griffin, L. F.  
Griffin, Larry  
Griffin, Larry Wayne  
Griffin, Leona Mack  
Griffin, Louis D.  
Griffin, Lynda P.  
Griffin, M. H.  
Griffin, Mary Hazel  
Griffin, Nancy W.  
Griffin, N. W.  
Griffin, Raymond Garvin  
Griffin, Roger Mack  
Griffin, Suzanne  
Griffin, Thelma  
Griffin, Virginia Craig  
Griffin, William H.  
Griffith, Patricia Anne  
Griffith, Yvonne R.  
Griffith, Fay  
Griffith, George L.  
Griffith, Norma  
Grimes, Albert William  
Grimes, Earl  
Grimes, Mrs. Earl  
Grimes, Eleanor W. (Mrs.)  
Grimes, James  
Grimes, Lois Lee (Mrs.)  
Grimes, Jennifer A.  
Grimes, Robert R.  
Grimes, William Hazley  
Grimes, Willie Ed  
Grimmer, Fay  
Grimmer, James Wyatt  
Grimmer, Christopher  
Grisham, Noni Nancy Lee  
Grisham, Rebecca Lee  
Grisham, Richard Holt  
Grisham, Betty Holland  
Grisham, George  
Grisham, Euna S.  
Grimsley, J. S.  
Grimsley, Judy Angela  
Grimsley, Thomas A.  
Grimsley, Kathleen  
Grimsley, Sidney Lynn  
Grimsley, Pamela Leslie  
Grimsley, W. T.  
Grimsley, Warner C.  
Grissold, Rebecca Lay  
Grissold, Emmett O'Neal  
Grissold, Fred, Jr.  
Grissold, Julia  
Groenewald, Rebecca Fay  
Grogan, Carlton Joseph  
Grogan, Peggy Jane Haymes  
Groome, J. B.  
Groom, Keith  
Grooms, Sarah Elizabeth  
Grubbs, Emmitt  
Grubb, George  
Grubs, Mamie L.  
Guess, Shirley Alma  
Gullestad, Annie Pearl  
Guldager, Carl  
Gunter, Audie Rue  
Gunter, Florence W.  
Gunter, Wm. A.  
Guyton, J. W. Conway Jr.  
Guthrie, Ida Maxwell  
Guthrie, Tony Mary  
Guy, Joseph  
Guy, Phyllis Ellen  
Hadden, Robert Eugene  
Hadden, Sheila Darlene  
Hadden, Kenneth  
Haddon, Kenneth Charles  
Hadley, Deanne McLeod  
Hagan, George  
Hagan, Rebecca Ann  
Hagerty, Evelyn L.  
Hageria, George  
Haggard, Anna Ruth P.  
Haggard, Jesse Vernon  
Haggard, John Vernon  
Haggard, Oliver

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Hawkins, Joe Stanley  
Hawkins, Loretta Mae  
Hawkins, Sude  
Hayes, Bernice H.  
Hayes, Betty  
Hayes, Charles  
Hayes, Clara Belle  
Hayes, Gregory Michael  
Hayes, John  
Hayes, Joye Frank  
Hayes, Julie Ann  
Hayes, Mary  
Hayes, Mary Beatrice  
Hayes, Ray C.  
Hayes, Robert  
Hayes, Ruth (Mrs. Purn)  
Haynes, Alan Dean  
Haynes, George F.  
Haynes, John  
S. Haynes, Joyce Joyce  
Haynes, Willard  
Haynes, William  
Hayne, Harry E.  
Haynie, Harriett Ellen  
Heath, Frank E., Jr.  
Heath, George  
Heath, John  
Heath, John Paul  
Heath, Alvin D.  
Heath, Betty D.  
Heath, Charles Jake  
Heath, Daniel M.  
Heath, Elva Jane  
Heath, Glen  
Heath, Glenda A.  
Heath, J.D.  
Heath, J. D. Dud  
Heath, Mary Goffint  
Heath, Mildred L.  
Heath, Nan A.  
Heath, Norman N., Sr.  
Heath, Robert G., Jr.  
Heath, Robert Glen  
Heath, Thomas  
Heath, Shofner Leo  
Heath, John Davis

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Hegler, George A.  
Hegler, Len Marvin  
Hegler, Mattie Van  
Hegler, William  
Helms, Beatrice L.  
Helms, Bernnie G.  
Helms, Billy H.  
Helms, Clarence  
Helms, Clarence Jr.  
Helms, Donald  
Helms, Edna  
Helms, Edward N.  
Helms, Elizabeth Clemen  
Helms, Eula Mae  
Helms, Helen Sue  
Helms, Helen Sue  
Helms, Hortense M.  
Helms, James  
Helms, Jack Lloyd, Jr.  
Helms, Jackie Leon  
Helms, James C.  
Helms, Jimmie  
Helms, Jimmy Lomax  
Helms, John David  
Helms, John  
Helms, Luther R.  
Helms, Mary L.  
Helms, Mary L.  
Helms, M. M.  
Helms, P.M.  
Helms, Paula H.  
Helms, Robert  
Helms, Susan Bush  
Henderson, Anna Lyn  
Henderson, Arthur J.  
Henderson, Ben B.  
Henderson, Bernice  
Henderson, Boyd, Jr.  
Henderson, Bobby Faye  
Henderson, Carolyn Oliver  
Henderson, Charles  
Henderson, Charles Henry  
Henderson, C.R.  
Henderson, Christopher L.  
Henderson, John Lynn  
Henderson, Mrs. Earl  
Henderson, Early Frank  
Henderson, Edith H.  
Henderson, Eloise  
Henderson, Foster  
Henderson, J.W.  
Henderson, James E.  
Henderson, Joy Augusta  
Henderson, John  
Henderson, John C.  
Henderson, John Lyn  
Henderson, Lella Mae  
Henderson, Lillian B.  
Henderson, Maria  
Henderson, Mary Anne  
Henderson, Michael Wayne  
Henderson, Minnie L.  
Henderson, Myron  
Henderson, Norman Olivia  
Henderson, Rickie Louis  
Henderson, Robert J.  
Henderson, Robert Louis  
Henderson, Sherri Kay  
Henderson, Susan Earlyn  
Hendrix, Jack Wayne  
Hendrix, John  
Hendrix, Richard  
Hendrix, Teresa Jane  
Herbst, Winfred Marie S.  
Herbst, Winfred Marie  
Herbst, Margaret  
Hernandez, Florense  
Hernandez, John  
Hernandez, Lillie Pearl  
Hernandez, Jennie Navarr  
Hernandez, Rogelio  
Hernandez, William  
Herod, Joseph W., Jr.  
Herod, Sue Stokes  
Herrick, Charles  
Herring, Norman G.  
Herring, Byron Randall  
Herring, D.R.  
Herring, Edna  
Herring, Martha W.  
Herrington, Bruce  
Herrington, Herman  
Hetrick, Audrey Joyce  
Hetrick, Frederick Barre

Hickerson, Alice Marie  
Hickerson, William Richard  
Hickman, Clarence E.  
Hickman, Charles  
Hickman, Fannie  
Hickman, Foye Louise  
Hickman, James  
Hickman, Lynn

Jones, Eleanor Huggins  
Jones, Eulene

Hutcherson, Carrie Lee  
Hutcherson, Charles Albert  
Hutcherson, Sally Carlene  
Hutchinson, Aaron  
Hutchinson, Thomas Alan  
Hutchison, Annie Cell  
Hutchinson, Anne Pearl  
Hutchinson, Brenda B.  
Hutchinson, Fannie Ruth  
Hutchinson, Jo Anne  
Hutchinson, Louis Vance  
Hutchinson, Mary W.  
Hutchinson, Ron  
Hutchinson, Roy R.  
Hutchinson, Sara E.  
Hutchinson, Sarah Elizabeth  
Hutchinson, Thea  
Hutson, Anthony Veto  
Hutson, John Sue  
Hutto, Ricky Lee  
Hutto, Robert M.  
Hutto, ...  
Hyles, Jr., Frank Thomas  
Hyles, Martha Jones  
Imboden, Betty J.  
Imboden, ...  
Ishee, George C.  
Ishee, Mrs. George C.  
Ishee, Mary Ruth  
Ingalls, ...  
Ingraham, ...  
Infinger, Huie Jarvis  
Ingram, Annie Jo  
Ingram, ...  
Ingram, Robert Leo  
Ivey, Flossie Madeline  
Ivey, Joseph Leomas  
Ivey, Mary Ann  
Ivey, M.R.  
Ivey, Ruth  
Ivey, T.F.  
Ivey, ...  
Ivy, Mrs. R.E.  
Jack, Rosetta Grayer  
Jackett, ...  
Jackson, Alice  
Jackson, Billie L.  
Jackson, Brenda  
Jackson, ...  
Jackson, Carl R.  
Jackson, Carol Reynolds  
Jackson, Catherine  
Jackson, ...  
Jackson, Clyde F.  
Jackson, Earnest Jr.  
Jackson, Elaine  
Jackson, Helen Madeline  
Jackson, Horace  
Jackson, ...  
Jackson, Ira Lee  
Jackson, James Jr.  
Jackson, Joel Max  
Jackson, ...  
Jackson, Marie  
Jackson, Mary King  
Jackson, ...  
Jackson, Pearline W.  
Jackson, Rebecca E.  
Jackson, Roy  
Jackson, ...  
Jacobs, Aubrey  
Jacobs, Billy B.  
Jacobs, ...  
Jacobs, Edward Jr.  
Jacobs, Joan  
Jacobs, Louise  
Jacobs, Marie Lee  
Jacobs, ...  
Jacobs, H.H.  
Jacobs, Roland J.  
Jacoby, Fred C., Jr.  
James, ...  
James, Cecil Ray  
James, Beattie V.  
James, David Henry, Jr.  
James, ...  
James, Ethel Taylor  
James, Frances Dunn  
James, Glendora L.  
James, I.R.  
James, Joanne Elizabeth  
James, Mody M.  
James, ...  
James, Rex A.  
James, Ricky Lee  
James, Roberta Gwen  
James, Virginia B.  
James, W.H.  
Jarman, Roxanne  
Jerman, ...  
Jenkins, Billy Richard  
Jenkins, Clyde Leone  
Jenkins, Constance Raborn  
Jenkins, Diane  
Jenkins, Martha Joan  
Jenkins, William Howard  
Jennings, ...  
Jennings, John A.  
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Jennings, John A.  
Jennings, Willie Jeff  
Jernigan, Dawn Ashley  
Jerome, ...  
Jerrison, Mildred G.  
Jeter, Evelyn G.  
Jeter, Jack L.  
Jeter, Jan  
Jeter, Sarah E.  
Johns, Linda Ann  
Johns, Robert Earl  
Johnson, Alice Lois  
Johnson, Anne  
Johnson, Barbara May  
Johnson, ...  
Johnson, Bayliss F.  
Johnson, Bielland O.  
Johnson, Cecelia A.  
Johnson, Christine Mae Y.  
Johnson, Clara G.  
Johnson, Clinton V.  
Johnson, ...  
Johnson, Dawn Smith  
Johnson, Dixie Sims  
Johnson, Donna Beth  
Johnson, Duane Kaye  
Johnson, Edward D.  
Johnson, Eugene A.  
Johnson, Edwin Kernit  
Johnson, Evelyn S.  
Johnson, Gerald Dale  
Johnson, ...  
Johnson, Gladys B.  
Johnson, Harvey Allen  
Johnson, Irene A.  
Johnson, Irene A.  
Johnson, J.B.  
Johnson, J.Edward  
Johnson, ...  
Johnson, Edward  
Johnson, James Gary  
Johnson, James W.  
Johnson, ...  
Johnson, Jan Teresa

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Maggard, Linda Dawn

Maggard, David Lee  
Maggard, Linda Dawn  
Maggart, Charles E.  
Maggart, Mary V.  
Magouyrk, Catherine Bowser  
Magwood, Grover  
Mahan, Charles P.  
Mahan, Charles Gilbert

Mauch, Anne Jeanette  
Mauldin, Betty Sue  
Mauldin, Barbara S.  
Mauldin, Hendrick  
Mauldin, James B.  
Mauldin, Jimmy Jack  
Mauldin, Mary Jane  
May, Melvin H.  
Mayberry, Cheryl A.  
Mayes, Shirley Ann  
Maybair, Johnnie William  
Maybair, Pauline Meredith  
Maybair, William Hamp  
Mayberry, Howard Everett  
Mayberry, Patricia Diana  
Mayo, Alma L.  
Mayo, Fred R.  
Mayo, Ellene R.  
Mayo, Ernest Click  
Mayo, Fred R.  
Mayo, Kenneth David  
McAlley, Gary Lex  
McAlley, Janet Houch  
McAdams, Charles Scott  
McBride, Lola B.  
McBride, Janice Florene  
McCall, Shirley Ann  
McCall, David Wayne Jr.  
McCall, Jesse Edward Jr.  
McCall, Lety C.  
McCall, Richard D.  
McCarthy, LaJuana K.  
McCarthy, William Earl  
McCarthy, Charles Ois  
McCarthy, Jimmy Louis  
McCarthy, Louis K.  
McCarthy, Quessnell  
McCarthy, William G.  
McCarthy, Millane  
McCall, Norma G.  
McClain, Jimmy Lee  
McClain, Charles Bell  
McClendon, Frances  
McClinden, Jimmie C.  
McClintock, John  
McCloud, Jesse F.  
McCloud, Perry Ruth  
McCluster, Myrtle B.

**BEAT 17 BOX 13**

McCollough, Debbie  
McCollough, Gladys  
McCollough, Joy Lester  
McCollough, Olen E.  
McCollough, Pamela Jo  
McCollough, Thelma Doris B.  
McConnell, Martha Alsia  
McConnell, Mrs. Richard W.  
McConnell, Richard Warren  
McCormick, Malcolm E.  
McCormick, Linda Lee  
McCort, Willie Charles  
McCourt, Roger Dean  
McCray, Madie Del  
McCray, C. C.  
McCreary, Albert R.  
McCreary, Eleanor Curry  
McCreary, Rachel M.  
McCrumb, J. B.  
McCrumb, Jerry Max  
McCrumb, John W.  
McCrumb, Rebecca  
Henderson  
McCullar, Francis Max  
McDaniel, R. H.  
McDaniel, Annette L.  
McDaniel, Beulah Ann  
McDaniel, Blonnie H.  
McDaniel, Charles R.  
McDaniel, Gary Neal  
McDaniel, Mrs. Harrell H.  
McDaniel, William H.  
McDaniel, J. P.  
McDaniel, Jimmy Allen  
McDaniel, Johnnie  
McDaniel, Marsha Lynn  
McDaniel, Michael Jay  
McDaniel, Sara  
McDaniel, Wayne  
McDaniel, William Marcus  
McDaniel, William Rodney  
McDonald, Barbara Bailey  
McDonald, Benjamin H.  
McDonald, Eric L.  
McDonald, George Harrison  
McDonald, Linda D.  
McDonald, Sonia Lee  
McDonald, William H.  
McDonald, Ronald Jerry  
McBowell, Ruth H.  
McBuffy, J. C.  
McBuffy, Robert  
McBuffy, Terri Jean  
McBuffy, Walter J.  
McBurdant, Angus  
McBurney, Doris J.  
McDurnott, Michael  
Franklin  
McDermott, Shirley A.  
McDermott, Virginia  
McEachern, Raymond Alden  
McEachern, H. M.  
McEachern, Herbert Middleton  
McEachern, Mary Hilda  
McEakin, Linda Sue  
McEvin, Gordon  
McEvin, Willie J.  
McEvin, Dena Aleesia  
McEvin, John Lacy  
McGee, Ellis L.  
McGee, Fester Edward  
McGee, Flora M.  
McGee, Alvin Newsome  
McGee, Rachel L. Brunson  
Gernack  
McGhee, Blissy  
McGhee, Elroy  
McGhee, Johnny Lee  
McGhee, John H.  
McGhee, Mary Elaine  
McGhee, Sarah Nell  
McGhee, Mary  
McGill, Mary Augusta  
McGowan, Edith Ann  
McGowan, Fred  
McGowan, Lewis Edward  
McGowan, Virginia  
McGrath, Eva A.  
McGrath, George Raymond  
McGrath, John Ann  
McGrath, Rita E.  
McGriff, E. A.  
McGriff, Mary I.  
McGriff, Ronald Brown  
McGuicken, Stephen F.  
McGuire, Danny Ray



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| ker  | Thames, L.F.         | Wise, A.L.          |
| um   | Waldon, Gladys       | Wise, Annie F.      |
| ise  | Ward, Helen J.       | Wise, Annie Mae     |
| l    | Ward, Lolie Mae      | Wise, Ellis J.      |
|      | Weatherford, Marion  | Wise, Fayomia A.    |
| rett | Weeks, Manuel        | Wise, James A.      |
|      | Wilks, Dorothy N.    | Wise, Nacie         |
|      | Wilks, L.C.          | Wise, Terry Wayne   |
|      | Wilks, Lewis, Jr.    | Wise, Vera E.       |
|      | Wilks, Ricky Free    | Wise, W.B.          |
|      | Wilson, Elizabeth W. | Wright, Eva Mae     |
|      | Wilson, J. Otis      | Wyatt, G.F.T.       |
|      | Wise, Allen          | Wyatt, Willie Jewel |

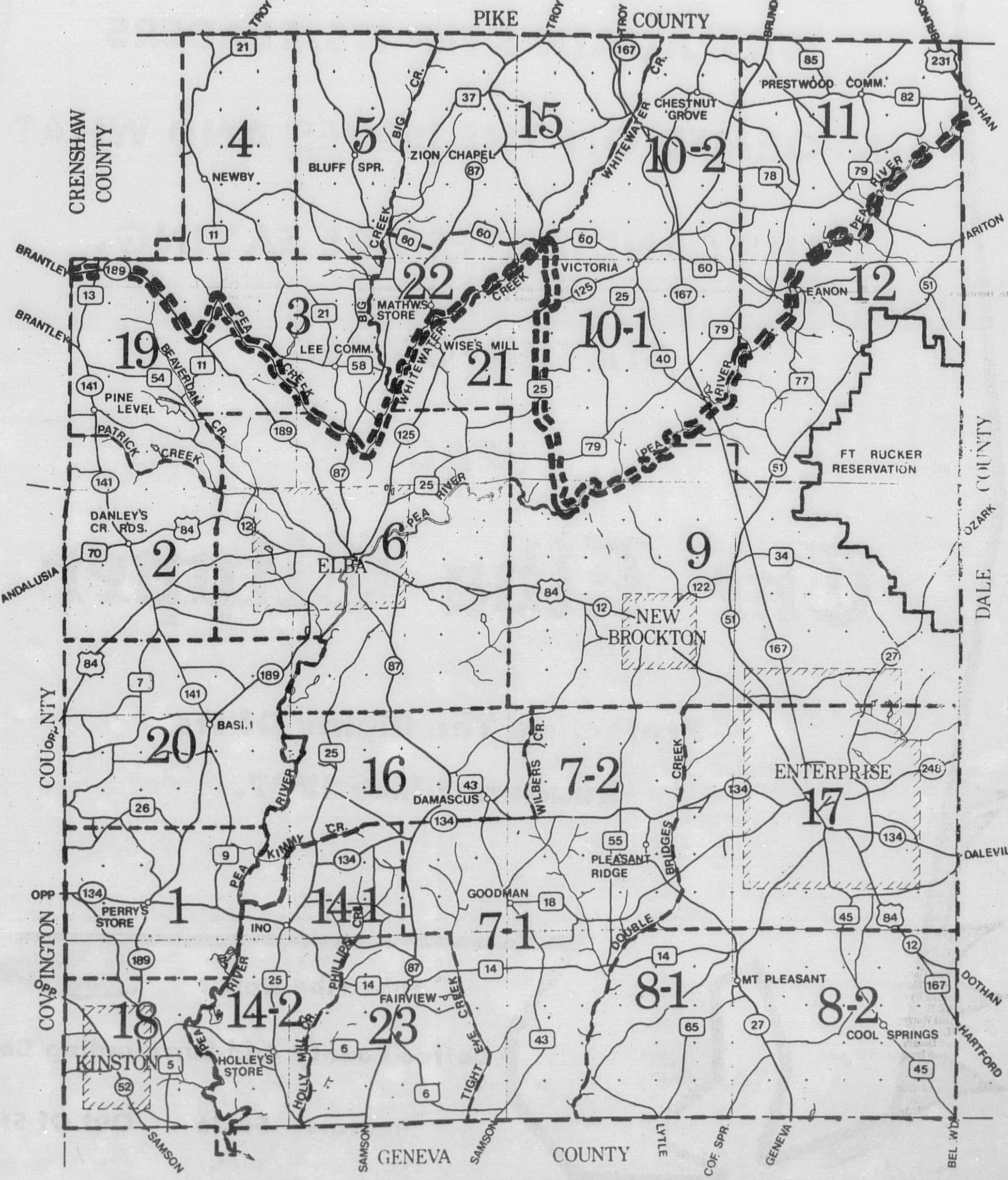
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| COOL SPRINGS        | 16       | DAMASCUS      |
| NEW BROCKTON        | 17       | ENTERPRISE    |
| VICTORIA            | 18       | KINSTON       |
| CHESTNUT GROVE      | 19       | PINE LEVEL    |
| PRESTWOOD COMMUNITY | 20       | BASIN         |
| INANO               | 21       | WISE'S MILL   |
| INO COMMUNITY       | 22       | MATTHEW'S     |
| HOLLEY'S STORE      | 23       | FAIRVIEW      |
| ZION CHAPEL         |          |               |

Map showing the locations of the voting places and beats. The map includes the following locations and features:

- Counties:** RANDOLPH, SEVIER, DOUTHAT
- Reservations:** FT. RUCKER RESERVATION
- Communities:** PRESTWOOD COMM., EANON, ENTERPRISE, MT PLEASANT, COOL SPRINGS
- Highways:** 85, 231, 82, 78, 60, 79, 51, 34, 122, 167, 27, 134, 45, 84, 12, 167, 45
- Beats:** 11, 12, 17, 8-2
- Other Labels:** NUT VE, CO. RIVER, POTHOLES, ARITY, OZARK, DALE, BEL. W. D.

## 1974



## BEAT 21

Allen, Beulah Mae  
Allen, Clifford  
Allen, Gary  
Allen, Hillard  
Allen, Huey Wayne  
Allen, Nina Sue D.  
Allen, Billy Wayne  
Arlie, Kathy Ann  
Asher, Edna Marie  
Asher, John Michael  
Asher, John Robert  
Asher, Judith Faye  
Barker, Laura B.  
Barker, Laura Lee  
Boswell, Lillian  
Bradshaw, James  
Brooks, Thomas Jessie  
Brown, Richard  
Brown, Roslyn William  
Bryan, Beulah  
Bryan, Newell P.  
Carpenter, Anna Pearl  
Carpenter, R.C.  
Cook, Cupiduen Wise  
Cowan, William Randolph  
Daniels, John E.  
Daniels, J.S.  
Daniels, Norman Spence  
Daniels, Orie  
Deal, William Wiley  
Ellison, Marie S.  
English, Samuel Dwayne  
English, Edna D.  
English, Francis William  
English, Ken Edward  
English, Fatsy Irene  
Exworth, Paul Raymond  
Harrison, Cressie  
Harrison, Margaret Milten  
Harrison, Paul  
Hartley, Dorothy  
Hill, Harris E.  
Hill, Judy Ann  
Holliday, Henry L.  
Holliday, Sallie Faye  
Holman, Malcolm  
Holman, Malcolm Connez  
Holman, Vivian  
Horsley, William M.  
Hussey, Bibb O.  
Hussey, L.J.  
Hussey, Pansie B.  
Hussey, Sallie Wambles  
Jones, Maggie  
Jordan, James Easler  
Jussey, James Earl  
Kelley, Mary M.  
Kendrick, Jessie Nell  
Lecompte, Larmar  
Mittlen, Cleo W.  
Mittlen, Dudley D.  
Logan, Gene T.  
Logan, Mary White  
Lorenz, William Rodney  
Messner, Betty Ann  
Messner, Roger Franklin  
Lessie  
Morris, Chester Arthur  
Morris, Lillie Mae  
Moseley, Ada Pearl Barker  
Moseley, Dale  
Newman, Emma Patricia  
Oglesby, Gloria A.  
O'Han, Herman  
H. Kollin, Doris Hathcock  
Owens, Jessie H.  
Owens, Gladys Ann  
Owens, Troy E.  
Owens, Debra H.  
Owens, Ruth  
Owens, Ipe  
Owens, J.C.  
Pryor, Elisha John P.  
Pryor, John Elisha  
Pryor, Margaret Ruth  
Pryor, Rebecca Ann  
Rualls, Judith Ann  
Rualls, Kacy Lacy  
Rualls, Grace  
Rualls, Phoebe Lynn  
Rennelle, Nicholas  
Riedel, James Lawrence  
Riedel, Linda Sue  
Rogers, Peggy Ann  
Rabot, Marie J.  
Rabot, Junell Barker  
Rindor, Tom  
Under, Jewell  
Westbrook, Edward Lee  
White, Estelle  
White, Gayle Earlene  
White, Grace Margaret  
White, James H., Sr.  
White, John  
White, Johnny  
White, John E.  
White, Lila Beth  
White, Mary Anna  
White, Sarah Yvette

BEAT 23

Adkison, Dykes B.  
Adkison, Sible  
Adkison, Sue Weeks  
Adkison, Winston  
Allen, Melvin  
Allen, Ruby Irene  
Baldwin, Azar  
Baldwin, Panzy Mae  
Blackmon, Braxton  
Bowden, Odessa  
Bowdoin, Billy G.  
Bowdoin, Jim Tom  
Carnley, David  
Carnley, George Robert  
Carnley, Robert  
Carpenter, Bennie Ray  
Carpenter, McCoy  
Carpenter, Rebecca O.  
Crews, Janice A.  
Crews, Joe P.  
Daughtry, Gus  
Daughtry, L. Frank  
Daughtry, Roger Dale  
Day, Daisy B.  
Day, Jerry



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## Chief Johnston Remains Suspended

Over 100 local citizens showed up Tuesday night for the Elba City Council meeting that lasted about 15 minutes. The only motion made and/or passed during the meeting was a motion to adjourn.

The only item on the agenda was to discuss the status of the suspension of Police Chief M. W. Johnston.

Mayor Folsom opened the meeting and asked City Attorney Gareth Lindsey to explain the duties of the Mayor, and then the duties of the City Council. Folsom then recognized Johnston who denied he was guilty of insubordination to the mayor. Folsom noted that all the councilmen were aware of the circumstances in the matter, and asked if anyone else had anything to say. When he got no response, Folsom asked for a motion to either sustain the mayor's actions or a motion to get Johnston back to work.

Neither motion was made, and Folsom said, "Well, I guess we can discuss it some more." At this time, Councilman D. M. English made a motion to adjourn and received a second from Councilman Wayland Sharpless. It passed and the meeting was over. Folsom immediately left the courtroom where the meeting was being held.

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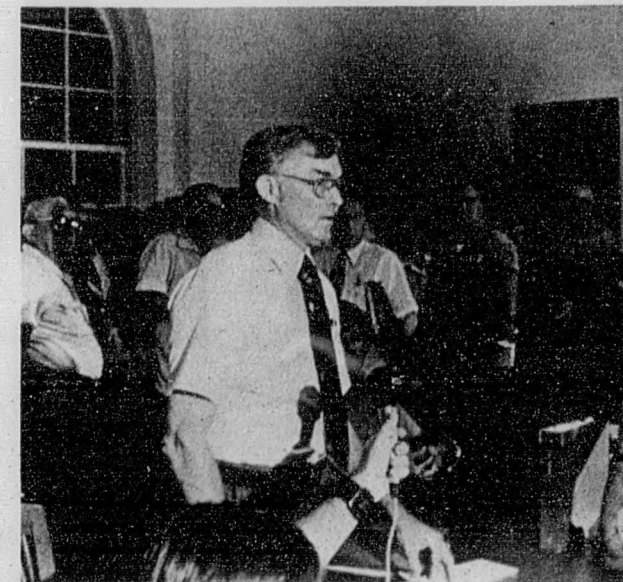
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Suspended Chief M. W. Johnston is interviewed by a reporter from WTVY television station.



Councilman Wayland Sharpless addresses citizens following meeting.



33 years ago about the experiences he encountered in the POW camp and famed Battle of Death March.

## Deana Kyle Is Crowned Little Miss Elba

Deana Kyle, seven-year-old daughter of Dean and Juanita Kyle, was crowned Little Miss Elba for 1978-79 in activities last Saturday night.

She was named from a field of 34 young ladies, each fully qualified to wear the crown of Little Miss. Deana was crowned by last year's Little Miss Elba, Miss Alisha Parrish.

First runner-up in the event was Lori Fudge, daughter of Mrs. Carol Fudge. Second runner-up was Whitney Wise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wise, Jr.

The winner will represent Elba in the National Peanut Festival in Dothan this fall.

Master of ceremonies for the annual Lions Club-sponsored event was Tommy



LORI FUDGE, 2nd Runner-Up; DEANA KYLE, LITTLE MISS ELBA, and WHITNEY WISE, 1st Runner-Up.

## County Commissioners Told Voting Houses Will Be Ready For Sept. 5 Election

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, August 14, at the courthouse in Elba and heard a report that all voting houses in the county were being repaired in preparation for the September 5 primary.

Commissioner Clark Bruneau Winston reported that the county carpenter had checked all the voting houses and felt all were in good condition except the one at Matthew's Store (Beat 22).

The commission agreed to have the leaks in the roof fixed before the election. Commissioner Rex Boutwell stated the voting house at Danley's Cross Roads (Beat 2) was in bad shape. Boutwell reported the windows were broken out and the roof leaked at the building. The commission instructed Boutwell to have the needed repairs done immediately.

The meeting began at 10:00 a.m. with all the commissioners present. Present were Rex Boutwell, Gilmer Grant, Jack Hornsby, Don Smith, Bennie Beckham, Max J. Reeves and Probate Judge James L. Sawyer.

The meeting's first visitor was Capt. Kenneth Blackmon of the Enterprise National Guard. Capt. Blackmon told

the commission he needed help in road grading work at the new armory on Highway 167. The work would consist of furnishing for drainage and ballast work. Judge Sawyer reported the work could be done "legally," and the commission decided to find out the time needed to do the job before making a commitment.

Danny Stewart, of Enterprise, came to the commission meeting with an unusual request. Stewart reported he had purchased land near Enterprise and had no way to get to it except along a fence road.

The landowner offered to sell the road, but Stewart felt the price was too high and asked the commission if it could make him road or get him a better price by condemning the road. The commission told Stewart to meet with Enterprise city officials and to check with his lawyer.

County Engineer Leslie Mullins addressed the commission on several matters. Mullins reported that the commission agreed to look for a new building to house the program and agreed to look into moving the program into the farm center.

In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission:

\*\*\*requested authorization for foremen to carry guns on the job to kill snakes (request was approved);

\*\*\*reported if the CETA Program were discontinued he would like to retain at least 5 employees;

\*\*\*stated the wages deducted for worker's compensation were way to high (agreed to meet with representative of insurance company);

\*\*\*and, complained about the high cost of liability insurance on county vehicles.

County Health Officer Kenneth Ball told the commission the fire marshal had declared the building housing the W.L.C. Program unsafe, and reported the landlord had refused to repair the violations. The commission agreed to look for a new building to house the program and agreed to look into moving the program into the farm center.

In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission:

\*\*\*was informed traffic flashers would be installed at Zion Chapel near Oct. 1;

\*\*\*and, paid bills.

The next commission meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 26, in Elba.

## County Schools

### Set

### Registration

Registration of all students, 1-12, of the Coffee County Schools will be on Wednesday, August 23 beginning at 8:00 a.m. at their respective schools.

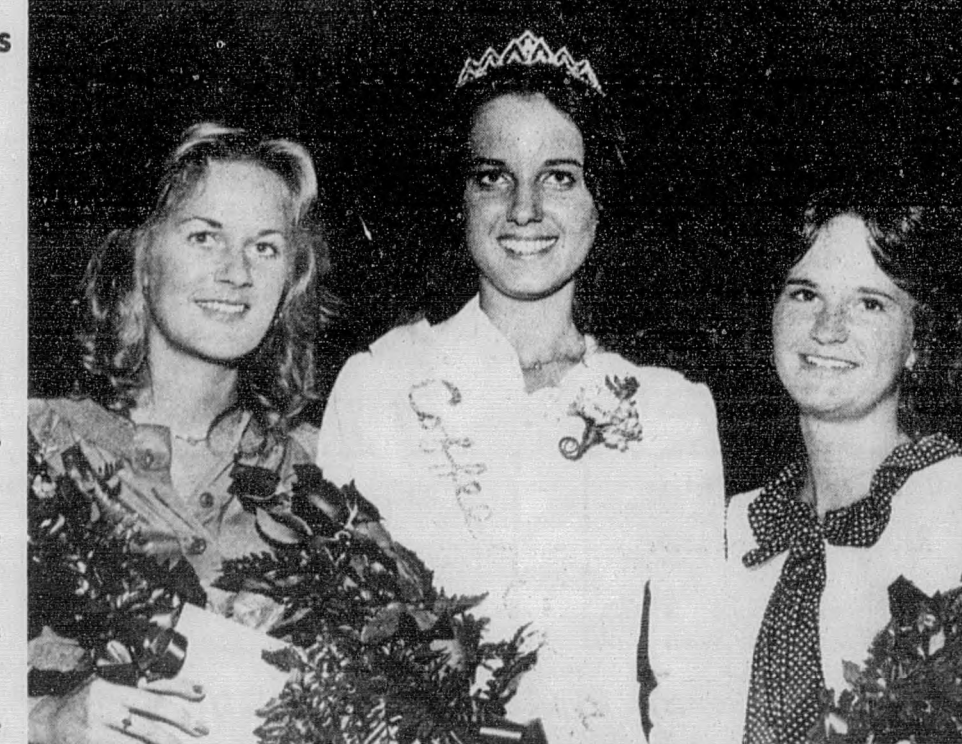
Students in Kindergarten and first grade who have not previously registered should take a birth certificate and certificate of immunization with them.

Registration will last from 8:00 a.m. until completed. Students will be dismissed prior to lunch, and dismissal time will be announced by respective schools. Lunch will not be served.

Buses will run on registration day, August 23.

Students will report August 24, at 8:00 a.m. for the first full day of classes.

Home visitation for students at Project Independence will be conducted Wednesday, August 22. The first day of school for these students will be August 24.



Dawn Hughes, Beverly Hargrove, Lia Lowery

Miss Beverly Hargrove of Elba was selected as the Coffee County Farm Bureau Queen at the annual meeting held last Thursday night at the Enterprise High School auditorium.

Beverly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hargrove of Elba.

She is a senior at Elba High School, and her main interests are twirling, sewing, crafts and dancing. She is head majorette with the Elba Tiger Marching Band.

Beverly will represent Coffee County at the State Farm Bureau Convention held later this year.

First runner-up in the queen contest was Dawn Hughes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Hughes of Enterprise.

Second runner-up was Lia Lowery, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lowery of Troy, and a senior at Zion Chapel High School.

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